Central Valley R-TAC Community Schools

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Annual Progress Reporting (APR)

The Annual Progress Report (APR) for **Cohort 1** Implementation and Planning has been released to all grantees. The CV R-TAC is here to provide technical assistance for LEAs and School Sites to complete the APR. If you missed the APR Technical Assistance Session in Fresno on October 18th, you can access the slide deck **HERE.**

Register for the next APR Technical Assistance Session on October 31st at FCSS <u>HERE</u>.

The S-TAC also has many resources to help grantees complete the APR requirements. Below are resources available on the <u>S-TAC</u> website:

- <u>FAQs</u>
- Demonstration Videos
- **<u>Slide Deck</u>** from S-TAC

The APR is designed to be a reflection tool. Please contact the CV R-TAC if you need any technical assistance with the APR.





Bright Spots & Best Practices

Kings Canyon Unified held their second Community Schools District Steering Committee meeting in October. The school site steering committee teams reviewed their needs and assets data to determine their three main needs to help improve students and family outcomes. Veleda Oltjenbruns, the KCUSD Community Schools Coordinator shares her reflection on the early stages of their transformative work with educational partners:

"Planning for the Community Schools Implementation Grant continues to be an exciting opportunity for us to bring our Kings Canyon Unified student, parent, staff and community partners together as our Community Schools Steering Committee and Site Advisory Committees to not only identify true assets and needs within each school site; but to also collaborate on plans of action to maximize engagement and achievement. Authentic data from our comprehensive needs assessment drives the decision making process, ensuring our goals and strategies meet our students' needs and provides them the opportunity to attain their highest potential."



RESOURCES

Community Schools Fundamentals

The Community Schools Fundamentals' hyperlink page is intended to give grantees quick access to guiding documents that support the work of Community Schools.



Framework Flipbook

The <u>California Community Schools Framework</u> <u>Flipbook</u> is another fantastic resource that you can quickly access to ground yourself and your team in

the Four Pillars, the Four Key Conditions of Learning, Four Cornerstone Commitments, the Four Proven Practices, and the Four Key Roles.

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CV R-TAC Websites

The Fresno County Superintendent of Schools (FCSS) and the Kern County Superintendent of Schools (KCSOS) both have websites to support grantees engaged in the Community Schools strategy. Both FCSS and KCSOS Community Schools websites are rich in resources. Check out the sites below or reach out to your CV R-TAC support team.

- FCSS Community Schools
- <u>KCSOS Community Schools</u>

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Upcoming Events

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KCSOS Community of Practice (COP)

> Networking <u>S-TAC Webinars</u>

